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BEATEN BY A
THUG

Some spicy revelations promised in the Gould divorce case in relation to the charges that attempts were made to have witnesses swear falsely about the millionaire and an actress.

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VISION OF DYING
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FIRE FIENDS AND THEIR DEADLY WORK San Jose, Malaga

AND OTHER CITIES

Five Blazes in 24
Hours Create
Suspicion

SAN JOSE'S BIG LOSS.
Five disastrous fires, occurring within the past twenty-four hours, and destroying within the neighborhood of \$100,000 worth of property, have aroused the city of San Jose and inaugurated among the citizens there a movement similar to that started yesterday at Niles. It is believed that all of the fires are of incendiary origin and drastic measures are being taken by the police.

TOWN DESTROYED.
PESNO, July 27.—The town of Malaga, five miles south of this city, was yesterday destroyed by fire this afternoon. Porter's grocery store, Hildreth's furniture shop, two fine dwelling houses, two barns and a truck house went up in flames, despite the efforts of an aroused countryside. The loss is about \$25,000.

BIG STOCKTON BLAZE.
STOCKTON, July 27.—A fire, believed to have been caused by children playing with matches in a barn in Sperry's addition, north of town, caused the loss of property worth nearly \$20,000 this morning. Two residences and three barns were destroyed, with 20,000 gallons of wine. There was no water and the firemen were helpless.

AT HAYWARD.
HAYWARD, July 27.—Last night the blacksmith shop of Walter Myers escaped destruction by fire only by the quick work of the volunteer fire department. A large drygoods box which had been standing some distance from the shop, was pushed against the building, filled with dry grass, and set on fire. Myers discovered the box and notified the fire department who responded in time to save his establishment.

**Battleship Fleet
In Hot Weather**

ON BOARD U. S. S. CONNECTICUT, by wireless to Battleship Fleet Station, Honolulu, July 27.—The position of the Atlantic battleship fleet at 8 p. m. Sunday was five degrees and fifty-two minutes north latitude; 164 degrees and thirteen minutes west longitude. The distance from Honolulu was 1018 miles. The weather is hot and occasional rain storms occur.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S AND
TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE**
We have received instructions from the administrator of the estate of J. T. Forbes and Laura A. Forbes to sell goods described below. Sale at 1007 Clay street, corner Tenth, Oakland, Saturday, July 25, at 10 a. m. Consisting in part: Three diamonds, jewelry, silverware, choice odd parlor pieces of furniture, about 1300 yards of carpet, two fine pianos, lace curtains, draperies, leather couch, weathered oak furniture, bookcase, brass beds, iron beds, odd dresses, chiffoniers, folding beds, mattresses, bedding, oak and massive walnut bedroom suits, round and square tables, dining tables, china, glass and silverware, pianos, sideboard and chairs to match, gas ranges with later improvements, coal ranges, etc., etc. A so one English trap, one buggy, horse and harness.
J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers,
1007-7-9 Clay St., Oakland.
Telephone Oakland 4671.

Prisoners in the Gould Suit Perjury Case,
Their Accuser, and the Dancer Who Is Named



SISTER HAS VISION OF DEATH

As Twin Brother Is Sucked to
His Doom in Quicksands
Young Woman Falls Shrieking
and Fainting.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 27.—While her twin brother Fred was being sucked to death in the quicksands of Long Lake, near Mitchell, Ill., yesterday Merle Huber, 17 years old, who was twelve miles away at home alone, shrieked and fell to the front porch in a faint. Neighbors ran to her assistance and revived her. "Fred is dying. I can hear his calling to me. He is drowning. Let me go to him," she cried.

**SHERIFF'S AUCTION
SALE**
Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court in favor of T. W. Williamson and against H. J. Gorman, I will sell at public auction five imported rugs and choice pieces of furniture. Sale at 1007 Clay street, near Tenth, Oakland, Tuesday, July 28, at 10 a. m.
FRANK BARNEY, Sheriff.
F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Sheriff.

SENSATION IS PROMISED IN GOULD SUIT

Counsel for Mrs. Teal Says He
Has New Surprise in Her
Defense.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Further sensations are promised in connection with the divorce suit instituted by Mrs. Frank Gould against her husband. This time the surprise is to come from the defense of Mrs. Ben Teal who has been charged with subornation of perjury in the interest of the millionaire's wife. The promise is made in reply to the confession of Miss Fleming, one of the actresses concerned, who has told the district attorney that chorus girls were asked to testify falsely regarding the relations of Gould and Miss de Vois, a member of "The Dairy Maids" company.

RUEF FINDS SHERIFF DID NOT SUBPOENA TALESMEN

Deputy, Formerly Under Burns, Caught Working for Prosecution

(Special to The Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—More than twenty talesmen were subpoenaed by Abraham Ruef to appear in Judge Lawrence's court this morning to explain why they had not come in response to the summons of the sheriff. It is believed that Ruef made no effort to summon talesmen who he thought might be inimical to the prosecution. To prove that these measures were taken by the defense, and when some twenty-five of them arrived on the scene this morning, Judge Lavelle found that the greater number, although they had been in town, all the while, had received no notice from the sheriff.

American Car Has Arrived at Berlin

BERLIN, July 27.—The American car in the New York to Paris race arrived at 3 o'clock this morning.
The American car started for Paris at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

GROSS REGISTRATION FRAUDS IN THE SEVENTH WARD

NEW PARTY CONVENES TONIGHT

Lively Interest Marks Gathering
of the Independence
League Delegates
In Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 27.—Delegates continue to arrive today for the National Convention of the Independence Party which will be called to order tonight at 8 o'clock in Orchestra Hall.
Wm. Randolph Hearst of New York, who is to act as temporary chairman and whose speech will sound the keynote of the party's policy throughout the coming national campaign, has thus far been the dominant factor in the party's council. He has repeatedly declared that he is not a candidate for any office and is seeking nothing beyond the promotion of the best interests of the organization he has rallied around him.

CITY COUNCIL WILL ADOPT WATER-FRONT PLANTONIGHT

Matter of a New Charter to Be Discussed
At a meeting of the city council as a committee of the whole tonight the committee on wharves and water front will turn over the plans for water front improvements as prepared by City Engineer Turner with a recommendation that they be adopted. Upon the adoption of the plans by the committee of the whole a meeting will be arranged for the purpose of deciding which portion of the water-front is to be improved first, this decision to be followed by a call for a bond election to carry on the work.

Lincoln-Roosevelt Workers Caught With the Goods on Them.

FEARFULLY BEATEN BY THUGS

Footpads Fracture Skull, Break
Ankle and Otherwise Injure
Victim of Assault.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Footpads attacked John C. Allen of 650 Lisan street, at the corner of Twenty-ninth and Mission streets, shortly before midnight last night and beat him almost to death. His ankle was fractured by his assailants and his head and face were frightfully bruised and lacerated by kicks and blows. It is feared at his home, where he was taken immediately after the assault, that he may have sustained internal injuries.

Small Shippers Can Now Combine

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The Interstate Commerce Commission decided today that shippers might combine small quantities of freight of various ownership, either by arrangement among themselves or through the medium of the railroad agency, to ship the combined lot at the relatively lower rates applicable on large shipments.

100,000 Acres in Fores Burned Over

SALINAS, July 27.—A fire which has been raging in the National Forest to serve for more than a week is now completely extinguished, having been brought under control yesterday. More than one hundred thousand acres of timber land in the Santa Lucia Mountains, west of Salinas, and fifty miles south of Salinas, have been burned over, but little damage has been done to farming interests other than that caused by the burning of many miles of fence.

Will Tour Europe In An Automobile

CHICAGO, July 27.—Miss Pauline Kolbs and Potter Palmer, son of J. P. Potter Palmer, were married here today at the home of Mr. Kolbs. Only a few relatives and the contracting parties were invited and the ceremonies were simple. After a brief stay in Massachusetts, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will tour in Europe in an automobile.

GRAND JURY ASKED TO INDICT GUILTY ONES

Reformers Attempt
To Colonize East
Oakland.

Puritans Caught in the
Nastiest Work Ever
Done in County.

Hundreds of False Affidavits
Discovered by County
Clerk Cook.

Fraud in registration of voters in East Oakland will take up the attention of the grand jury for the next several days, and it is probable that a few indictments will be found against employees of the city because of their alleged attempt to colonize East Oakland for the coming primary election. County Clerk John F. Cook and Councilman George E. Aitken discovered that wholesale fraud has been practiced in the filing of registration certificates.

The Charge of Fraud

The charges are mainly directed against Henry C. Henken, deputy assessor, under City Assessor George E. Gross, and Norman W. Denton, assistant inspector of the Board of Health. The third man accused of improper conduct is claimed to be M. B. McGuinness, a politician, who it is said is working at the instance of a ring of politicians who are trying to secure control of the Seventh Ward. Another says that McGuinness is a fake name. The investigation shows that out of 1,000 registrations filed County Clerk Cook has discovered 30 affidavits made out in Henken's writing.

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GROSS REGISTRATION FRAUDS IN SEVENTH WARD

RAWEST WORK EVER DONE IN THE HISTORY OF COUNTY

(Continued From Page 1.)

Henken is not authorized to register voters. There are yet 1000 registrations from the Seventh Ward to go through yet and it is known gross frauds will be found. City Official Denton's part in the alleged conspiracy according to Cook and Aitken was to sign registration papers when presented to him after having been filled out by other people and without seeing the voters whose names were signed to the documents. Denton admits signing fourteen affidavits without personally swearing the applicant, although he is a deputy registrar.

A Political Leader

Henken aspires to be a political leader in the Seventh ward and will not admit that he grossly violated the law and is now very careful as to what statements he makes, as he has learned he is to be called before the grand jury to give his version as to how the affidavits were signed. Nearly all the bogus affidavits are Portuguese residing in the Seventh ward. The matter has created a great stir in political circles, because the men who are accused are known to be allied with the Lincoln-Roosevelt forces. These forces are supposed to be the simon pure article and want to reform the county government. This is one of their ways of reforming politics. There is no doubt but that a gross violation of the law has been discovered and that the purists who have been trying to capture East Oakland are caught with their goods on them and will be lucky if they are not indicted by the grand jury.

County Clerk's Story

"When Councilman Aitken suggested to me that there seemed to be some irregularity and that Henken might be at the bottom of it," said Mr. Cook yesterday, "I went at once and examined Henken's own registration. We noted his handwriting carefully and then commenced a search through all of the registrations in that ward. We worked most of Saturday, but have been able to look over only about 1000 registrations to this far."

"On none of the affidavits did we find Henken's name signed as the registering official, but on twenty of them we found the blanks filled in a handwriting that was undeniably his. In fact, down to the very last blank the writing was to all appearances—and several of us reached this conclusion independently—in his hand. This last blank follows the words 'subscribed and sworn to before me this day,' to."

"The signature in most of the cases we found to be that of N. W. Denton, an assistant inspector in the Board of Health of the city. The others bore the signature of M. E. McGinness, but who he is have not the slightest idea. So far as know, Denton is not authorized to register and has not been appointed a deputy or that purpose. Even though he had

been, of course, he would not have the right to sign registration blanks unless he had personally sworn the applicant for registration, nor in any case had Henken the right to touch the applications. "There are about 3000 registrations from the Seventh ward and of these we were able only to look over about 1000. If the ratio of false registrations found so far persists in the other 2000, there must have been about fifty or sixty registrations of this kind. We shall continue at once our scrutiny of the registrations from the Seventh ward and will know by Monday night, probably, the full number of fraudulent registrations in that ward."

Swore Them

"Most of the men who had been registered in this fashion were Portuguese. We saw two of them and were told the manner in which they had been registered. According to their story, Henken had not only filled in their blanks for them, giving their name, residence, party affiliation, etc., but had held up his right hand and sworn them. They did not know whether he had signed the papers. They had not seen him do so. His name, however, did not appear as the signer, so it was evident that after he had sworn the men his part of the work was done."

"Henken has been hand in glove, we have learned, with Joseph Mello, the proprietor of a saloon on East Twelfth street. Mello recently made an application for a saloon license, which was turned down. It seems apparent that he and Henken have been able to get jobs in the street department or elsewhere for many of the men whom they have registered."

Admits Offense

Norman W. Denton, assistant inspector in the Board of Health, whose name was signed to some of the registration blanks which County Clerk Cook says were not legally made out, admitted yesterday afternoon that he had signed fourteen registrations without swearing in the men registered. He said:

"Why, yes. I signed some of them, fourteen, I think. I thought it was all right. Several others had been doing the same thing. I was told. Yes, they were from East Oakland, all of the certificates to which I refer. "William Fitzmaurice, a deputy in the office of the city treasurer and tax collector, handed them to me the other evening and asked me to sign them. I looked them over and found they were in shape, so I put my name at the bottom of them. I had no idea they were not all right. They looked all right to me. I did not know any of the voters who were registered in them and do not remember any of them now. All I remember about them is that they were all residents of East Oakland."

"I had not seen any of the men whose registration blanks I signed at this time, and had not sworn them in. I do not know Henken, and was not aware that he had anything to do with these blanks. I was appointed a registration deputy about a month ago."

Mr. Aitken's Statement

Councilman G. E. Aitken said: "This entire trouble started over that fact that I would not vote for a man by the name of Mello to obtain a liquor license on Twenty-third avenue and East Twelfth street. On Friday evening I was standing in front of the bank on the corner of East Fourteenth street and Twenty-third avenue when a man came up to me and said that somebody wanted me at the telephone in Keenig's liquor store. I went in and found that nobody had called me up on the phone. A party of gentlemen were standing near the door and I stopped for a moment to speak to them. While standing there this man Jacinto approached me and began to use violent and abusive language and attempted to strike me. In order to defend myself I struck him back."

Jacinto's Reputation

"Jacinto is a man with a very unsavory reputation. A few years ago a felony was preferred against him in the police court of this city for having committed assault with a deadly weapon upon one of our citizens by the name of S. J. Tenbrooke. Some months ago Mello, who now conducts a saloon on S. Eleventh avenue came to me and asked me to vote to grant him permission to transfer his license to Twenty-third avenue. I told him then that the people of Twenty-third avenue did not want any more saloons in that vicinity and that under no circumstances would I vote for him."

Threatened Politically

At that time Mello and his friends threatened to beat me politically if I would not vote with them on the saloon license and the attack upon me last Friday night was part of their scheme to injure me in the eyes of the people. "I want to take this opportunity of again assuring the people of Twenty-third avenue that under no circumstances will I ever permit Mello to locate his saloon at Twenty-third avenue as I am satisfied they do not care to have him there."

Reason for Attack

"I believe that the attack was also made upon me to try to intimidate me and make me stop in my investigations into the fraudulent registrations which these people who are opposed to me have been making in the Seventh Ward. "Sufficient evidence has already been secured to prove beyond all doubt that felonies have been committed in large numbers. I intend to have this matter presented to the grand jury and shall lend all the assistance in my power to convict all persons no matter who they are who may be implicated in this fraud."

PATRIOTIC INSANITY IS KOREAN'S PLEA

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—The trial of In Whang Chang for the murder of Durham White Stevens, advisor to the Korean government, was today postponed to August 27th. Chang appeared in court this morning and after a long conference in Chambers between his attorneys and Judge Carroll Cook, the postponement of the case was agreed upon and later announced in open court. It is understood that Chang's attorneys will make a plea of patriotic insanity for their client, who appears to be in a state of complete bewilderment and unable to understand the proceedings in which he now finds himself. A number of his countrymen appeared in court this morning and one of them was invited to take part in the conference.

YREKA HALL OF RECORDS BIDS ALL TOO HIGH

YREKA, July 27.—The Board of Supervisors rejected Saturday evening the only two bids received for the building of the new Hall of Records on the ground that the bids were excessively high, being \$12,000 and \$15,000, respectively. The architect who drew the plans estimated the cost at \$22,000. The Board will re-advertise.

REPORTS LOSS OF WATCH GIVEN HIM BY UNCLE

E. B. Mulford of 405 Pierce street, San Francisco, went across the bay yesterday to lose his watch, valued at \$20, at San Pablo and San Francisco avenues. The inside case of the watch bore the inscription "From Uncle Edward Mullin."

THIEF FIGHTS WITH POLICE

Burglar, Caught in Act, Strikes Officer; Dashes Away and Is Caught.

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—While patrolling his beat at an early hour this morning, Policeman Sheehan observed the peculiar actions of a young man lingering about the building in course of construction on Fifth street near Harrison. Steadily he followed him into the building and observed him as he tried to force the rear door.

THREW BOTTLES OF BEER AT CHINAMAN

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—William Gorgalins, a resident of the Sunset district, journeyed down to San Mateo yesterday for a day's enjoyment. He returned home about 11 p. m. in company with a friend, and while en route saw a Chinese emerging from a saloon across the street.

The Mongolian waited on the corner for a while, and this gave Gorgalins opportunity to throw two bottles of beer at him. The affair was observed by Policeman Sheehan, who took the man into custody and charged him at the prison with battery.

FRUITVALE MAN ROBBED OF WATCH ACROSS BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—S. Olsen, who lives at 2116 Old County Road, Fruitvale, reported to the harbor police late last night that his watch, valued at \$25, had been stolen from his pocket on Steuart street between Mission and Howard. Olsen says he was walking along Steuart when he encountered a crowd of men listening to a street speaker. He remembers being jostled by several persons, and supposed one of them stole his watch.

ENTERPRISE LODGE WILL GIVE ELABORATE DANCE

Enterprise Lodge, No. 258, I. O. O. F., will hold a dance Thursday evening, July 30, at Twenty-second and Grove streets. This will be one of the affairs of the season in fraternal circles, and an excellent time is planned for. Special music has been engaged. This is the last night Enterprise Lodge will give any entertainment in its present quarters, as preparations are now being arranged to move into more elaborate parlors at Eleventh and Franklin streets. Bruce S. Farrar will be floor director.

Why you should be customers of Bowman's Drug Stores.

There are several reasons, but there is one in particular: You can't afford Not to have Bowman & Co. in the drug business in Oakland.

Drug prices are lower. Drug quality is higher. You get what you ask for and not something else that's just as good. Because Bowman & Co. are in Oakland.

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50c Size Klensol A cleaning fluid that is entirely different from the old-fashioned fluids. Not inflammable and so remarkably efficient that we sell it to the professional cleaners.

BOWMAN & CO. Druggists Oakland Berkeley

Red Eyes and Eyelids, Weak Eyes And Tired Eyes Need Murine Eye Tablets

LIBERAL SPENDER MUST FACE TRIAL

Found Buying Liquor on Barbary Coast and Is Charged With Robbing Companion.

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Robert Mart, a minor, was arrested last evening by detectives Rosen and O'Connell and booked at the city prison on a charge of grand larceny on complaint of William Gosidopaux. The latter claims that he met Mart early in the evening on Market street near Stockton and the two became very friendly. At length the minor proposed that they take a room together in the lodging house at 307 Grant avenue. When Gosidopaux awoke about 11 o'clock he found that his purse, containing \$170, which he had placed under his pillow, was missing.

MONEY UNDER CARPET FOUND BY BURGLAR

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—While Mrs. Mary Logus, of 1212 Kearny street, was attending church last evening, a burglar broke into her home, and stole her purse containing \$49.40 which she had secreted under the carpet in the parlor. The intruder gained entrance by means of a pass key, but nothing other than the money was disturbed.

Regulates the bowels, promotes easy natural movements, cures constipation—Bowman's Tablets. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

This Is What You See

On half the memo pads of merchants and professional men in town:

"Noon: Lunch at St. Mark"

No wonder; an elegant dollar menu; always 50 cents. Be there tomorrow.



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JUDGE WELLS IS SURE WINNER AT PRIMARY

Will Carry the County by a Large Majority in the Superior Judgeship Fight.

MARTINEZ, July 27.—Judge William Wells' fight for the re-nomination as Superior Judge in this county is in first-class condition according to reports received this morning. That he will win a Republican nomination is now almost an assured fact. Reports from Point Richmond, Concord, Walnut Creek, Antioch and other places show that the general feeling of Republicanism is swinging in favor of Judge Wells in such a manner as to insure him a splendid majority of delegates to be elected on August 11.

EXCELLENT OFFICIAL.

Judge Wells has made an excellent official in this county and has a host of friends in every direction because of his straightforwardness on the bench. The convention to be called together in the county will be made up of delegates as follows: Martinez No. 1, 2; Martinez No. 2, 1; Pine Hill, 3; Port Costa No. 1, 2; Port Costa No. 2, 2; Crockett No. 1, 2; Crockett No. 2, 2; Volcano, 3; Selby, 2; Roanoke, 3; Phoebe, 3; Grant, 1; Richmond No. 1, 1; Richmond No. 2, 2; Richmond No. 3, 2; Richmond No. 4, 2; Richmond No. 5, 2; Richmond No. 6, 2; Richmond No. 7, 3; Alamo, 2; Danville, 4; Lafayette, 1; San Ramon, 1; San Pablo, 3; Sausalito, 2; Alhambra, 3; Concord No. 1, 2; Concord No. 2, 2; Pacheco, 4; Walnut Creek No. 1, 2; Black Diamond, 6; Corral Valley, 3; Clayton, 3; Moraga, 3; Somersville, 1; Antioch No. 1, 2; Antioch No. 2, 4; Lone Tree, 2; Brentwood, 3; Oakley, 3.

UNITED SUPPORT.

The conditions all over the county show that Judge Wells and his friends will get the united support of all the Republicans in the county. The judges will also secure the support of all who desire fair play. He demanded that a primary election be held on August 11 so that the entire vote of the county could be brought out. Judge Wells and his friends won the election by a large majority, showing his strength throughout Contra Costa. Although that was a hard contest it showed how many friends the judge has in the county. Now that the primary has been settled, many who did not vote in an open primary are found in the ranks of the Wells party, showing that he will easily have a large majority of the coming election.

SECRET MEETING.

A few days ago in Walnut Creek a secret meeting was held and delegates named to the county convention. Only a handful of Republicans were present, the meeting being called without any general notice to the Republicans. The idea was to have a few Republicans present so as to capture the delegation. The greatest indignation prevails now, with the result that a big Republican meeting is to be held and delegates named who will support Judge Wells. The indications now are that the Walnut Creek delegates for Wells will be elected by a big majority.

BABY IS BADLY HURT BY FALL DOWNSTAIRS

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Little Edward Meinhardt, the two-year-old son of Mrs. Margaret Melahart, of 1237 McAllister street, was badly hurt at 9:30 this morning by falling down the stairs in the rear of the house. The baby was playing on the back porch and succeeded in opening the gate. He slipped forward and fell six or eight steps to the bottom, knocking his head against the wire door. His wounds were dressed at the Central Emergency Hospital.

FOUR FIRES IN SAN JOSE SUNDAY

SAN JOSE, July 27.—This city has suffered \$10,000 in fire losses in the past twenty-four hours. Four different alarms from import sections of the city were turned in yesterday, keeping the fire department busy from sunrise to dark. The cause of the San Francisco Rolling Works, the Enterprise Grocery, the Crawford Manufacturing Company, a livery stable, a plumbing shop and a saloon are among the properties destroyed. It is thought here that incendiaries are at work and the police are quietly investigating matters. No arrests have so far been made.



Did You Have

Did you have

Shredded Wheat

for breakfast this morning? After you have tried all the "new ones" you will come back to Shredded Wheat, the world's best cereal food. Not so heating as corn or oats and much more nourishing and more easily digested. Try it with milk or cream or with fresh fruits. At your grocers.

Always heat the biscuit in oven to restore crispness. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk or cream will supply all the energy needed for a half day's work. Try Toasted TRISCUIT, the Shredded Wheat wafer, for luncheon, with butter, cheese or marmalade.

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BRYAN WILL BECOME KNIGHT

Democratic Leader Arrives in Omaha to Be Initiated Into Order of Ak-Sar-Ben.

OMAHA, Neb., July 27.—William J. Bryan, democratic candidate for the presidency, arrived in Omaha from Chicago at 1 o'clock this afternoon. At the station he was met by a committee representing the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, a secret order of Omaha business men who give him a banquet and later in the evening initiate him as a member. His first speech was made at 8:15 this morning. The journey carried him across a state, and he delivered addresses to large crowds at various points. The first speech was made at Des Moines, where he spoke from a truck. He took the Denver train and arrived at his hotel at 10 o'clock. He is expected to stay in Omaha tonight.

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Following a brief reception at the depot, Mr. Bryan and members of the party were driven to the Omaha Club, where they were assigned quarters for the afternoon and evening. There many called and the informal reception planned to place in the foyer of the club house gave evidence of the popularity of Nebraska's leading statesman in Omaha.

The entire program was arranged with a view to giving Mr. Bryan a purely non-partisan greeting and was under the auspices of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, an organization of men affiliated with the commercial interests of Omaha and Nebraska.

BIG BOLD RECEPTION. Luncheon was served at the club, but there were no guests. After luncheon Mr. Bryan was given an opportunity to meet hundreds of Omaha citizens, but this being denied, the reception developed into a large social affair.

At 2 o'clock Mr. Bryan was the speaker at a Democratic flagpole raising by the John A. Creighton Marching Club. Count Leighton was the guest of honor, and was largely to Mr. Bryan's first campaign and who is said to have financed Mr. Bryan's candidacy at that time. Leighton was heavily interested in Montana silver mines at this time. While speaking at this flagpole incident, Mr. Bryan will pose before a moving picture machine, the films of which are to be shown at the National Corn Exposition in Omaha during the fair.

WILL BECOME A KNIGHT. During the night Mr. Bryan will be initiated into the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, the big commercial order of Nebraska, to which every business man in Omaha and all of those in Nebraska belong. A number of special trains will bring in members from other parts of Nebraska, and Mr. Bryan will probably be given an insight into all the mysteries.

VISITING WEAVER. DES MOINES, July 27.—When William J. Bryan spoke this morning he found waiting him General John H. Weaver of Iowa, who in 1892 was the Populist candidate for President. General Weaver boarded the train at Ottumwa, Iowa, while Mr. Bryan was dressing, but soon the two men were engaged in earnest conversation over the political situation. General Weaver soon identified himself with the Democratic party and a strong friend of Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Bryan had a good night's rest before going to bed. He was surrounded in his car by a male quartet of a theatrical company bound west. He greatly enjoyed the treat and clapped his hands frequently.

CHEERED AT DES MOINES. When William J. Bryan passed through Des Moines at 10 o'clock this morning on a Rock Island train he was greeted by a crowd of 1000 people. And when he was literally carried from the train to an express truck under the station shed they cheered, fought, pushed and some "scratched" their way through the jam to hear his five minute speech. They cheered the Nebraskaan from the train, the train arriving after it had passed beyond the sound of their voices, except for a hush while they listened intently to his speech.

Mr. Bryan promised them that he would come to Iowa at some future date during the campaign and speak at length.

15-YEAR-OLD BENEDICT ENDS UNHAPPY LIFE

SERGEANT, Ky., July 27.—Leonard Hall, the fifteen-year-old son of Elder Joseph Hall, a Baptist preacher at Hilliard, committed suicide yesterday in the home of his father by shooting himself with a shotgun. For several weeks he had been despondent. He was married two months ago to little Miss Rhoda Profit, barely 12 years old, his schoolmate with whom the boy and his father had not lived happily.

DEATH OF CAPITALIST YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

SACRAMENTO, July 27.—Donnis Dalton, the well-known capitalist of Sacramento, died at 11:30 yesterday afternoon at the Sisters' hospital. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

STEALS TRAIN RIDE; GROUND TO HIS DEATH

SACRAMENTO, July 27.—John Topin, a blacksmith, while stealing a ride on a train near Galt yesterday, lost his life and was ground to death under the wheels.

ROMANCE REVEALED BY FAIR DANCER'S DEATH ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Papentia, Famous Ballet Beauty, Was Married to Oakland Man

John Marlon, who lives at the Five Mile House, on the Mission road, San Francisco, reports that the young woman known in professional circles as Papentia, a ballet dancer and contortionist, formerly of Oakland, died in Paris, France, July 2. The cause of death is unknown.

Marlon's statement concerning the young woman reveals a romance that has never been made public in this community.

SECRETLY MARRIED. "Papentia was my sister-in-law," said Marlon today. "She was secretly married to my brother George Marlon four years ago, the ceremony taking place at San Rafael, Marin county. Members of our family knew about the wedding, but the general public was not informed. My brother and his wife lived in Euclid and there was born to them a son, Raymond Marlon, who died a year and a half ago.

Papentia's name was Juanita Lu Chappelle and she was only 15 years of age when she married my brother George. He is a graceful dancer and they met at a private reception where both were employed to help in the evening's amusement. It was a case of love at first sight and so they slipped away to Marlon's country and were married. Outside of our family they took nobody into their confidence.

MOVED TO FRANCE. "They lived happily together, but after the death of their little son she left California to accept professional engagements. She was born in France and has many relatives living there, so she went to see them, and I understand was dancing there. The news of her death came as a great surprise, as she was not yet twenty years of age, and we had not heard that she was sick. The news came to my sister from relatives of Papentia in Paris. My brother George is a professional dancer and entertainer and left some time ago for the north. We don't know where he is. He may be in Washington or Oregon or possibly had gone to Alaska. He, of course, doesn't know of his wife's death and we hope to let him know by an item in THE TRIBUNE of her demise."

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40 ACTORS AT NOVELTY THEATER FOR OPENING

Playhouse Ready for the Public Tonight

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The mechanics have been working night and day to get the theater in readiness to receive the public at 7:30 this evening, and everything will be in first-class shape to give one of the most wonderful performances that has ever been witnessed in America for the admission charged.

And when the public realizes that by actual count there are forty legitimate performers on the stage they can realize the magnitude of the performance, while with stage hands, electrical operators, ushers and officials, there is a staff of over seventy people there to meet and for the successful running of the theater.

MANY WOMEN RESPOND TO RANCHER'S MARRIAGE

Hundreds Willing to Admit Homeliness

SAN BERNARDINO, July 27.—Paul Peters, a wealthy German mechanic and rancher, today received hundreds of answers to an advertisement he inserted in a local paper notifying the world of his longing for a homely wife. Peters, who is 34 years old, good looking and reputed to be worth half a million, set forth his wants in the following advertisement: "An honest German mechanic, 34 years old, of good health and humor, well educated, with best reputation, industrious,

Nothing like it has been attempted in America and after the performance tonight the public may judge for itself as to merits of the Novelty Theater. Manager Lubelski will be there when the curtain comes up to greet his many friends and all admirers of first-class, wholesome, strictly moral entertainment. This transformation from the old Novelty to the new will be an agreeable surprise to the public, as everything has been carried out according to the instructions of the Board of Public Works, the insurance companies, city electrical experts and everything done in first-class manner, insuring safety to the public. The ventilation plant is the finest on the coast, consisting of automatic ventilators. The fire-proof wire and asbestos drop curtain are all that are required by the most up-to-date theaters, and the public can look forward to seeing a model little playhouse.

no gambler or cigarette smoker; with improved city and county property; feels loneliness in his country home in San Bernardino; is tired of bachelor life and wishes to make the acquaintance of a homely, honorable and true, good-natured girl or widow with some means; divorced women excluded. Questionable characters not wanted. I respect good characters more than plenty of money. Please send particulars and if possible photo which will be returned."

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Women Asked to Testify Falsely

NEW YORK, July 27.—Further evidence was taken today by Assistant District Attorney Barker concerning the alleged conspiracy to secure false evidence to be used against Frank J. Gould in the divorce proceedings brought by Mrs. Gould. The last witness called was Miss Hale, a hairdresser in the Hotel Lincoln. She was questioned to great length in the district attorney's office, after which Mr. Hart said that Miss Hale had agreed to give the evidence which she had given with a proposition to prepare false evidence against Mr. Gould.

THEIR ACCUSER IN COURT. In court was Miss MacCausland, eighteen, accompanied by her counsel, Benjamin S. Catts, of No. 280 Broadway. She seemed at ease. Her dress, a white shirtwaist, with blue dots, a dark skirt and large black hat with green feathers.

Miss MacCausland, in the District Attorney's office had related in a long affidavit, the various steps in the alleged plot to connect Mr. Gould with Miss De Voie. She explained, before making the affidavit, that she had met Mrs. Gould on visits made on behalf of Mrs. De Voie.

Miss MacCausland told Assistant District Attorney Barker that Mrs. Teal first suggested that she accuse Mr. Gould. She lost her position. Mrs. Teal used this advantage, she said, to speak of the chance of making money out of the Gould divorce case.

HER AFFIDAVIT. In the affidavit she swears that she called upon Mrs. Teal last Thursday at the Wyoming and that Mrs. Teal asked if she did not want to earn some money.

"I told her I did," the affidavit continues, "and she said I must do exactly what she told me to do, no matter what it might be. Mrs. Fleming was present at the time. Mrs. Teal said, 'You know I have a suit on for the divorce case, and I want you to go to the hotel and see Mrs. Gould. She has been calling on Miss De Voie at the Glenmore. The stronger the evidence is against Mr. Gould the more alimony Mrs.

STRONG PLEA IS MADE FOR YOUTHFUL BURGLAR

Court Gives Confessed Thief a Chance

A unique plan of arousing the sympathy and inspiring the confidence of a magistrate was employed this morning in Judge Melvin's courtroom, when the attorneys for Herbert Patton, a self-confessed burglar, offered their personal bonds for \$100 to guarantee the future good behavior of the youth if he were released upon probation.

The lawyers also introduced George W. Jessup of this city and several other young religious workers, who stated that they had secured a position for Patton and would do all in their power to see that he mended his ways and became a valuable and law-abiding citizen.

ENTERED A ROOM. Patton, who has been in trouble before, both here and at his old home in Kansas, was taken before the criminal bar, charged with entering the room of a fellow boarder with intent to steal. Last week he was refused the privileges of probation by Superior Judge Ogden, who declared at that time that the statute governing the release on parole of prisoners found guilty of crime, was being much abused by the attorneys throughout California. He was prevailed upon to grant a continuance of the young man's trial, pending the return of Judge Mel-

vin and District Attorney Brown, who were said to know something of the case.

GIVEN A CHANCE. Brown refused this morning to have anything to do with the case, stating that he knew no more about it than his assistant, W. H. L. Hynes, who was in charge of the prosecution. Hynes stated to the court that, while he was sure that the young man was running a great risk in admitting Patton to probation, in view of the influence which had been brought to bear upon the prisoner he believed that the latter might be induced to reform and would therefore reserve any opinion whatever in the case, leaving it entirely to the discretion of the court.

Judge Melvin then told Patton that his course, if continued, would sooner or later land him in the penitentiary for a long term, but that he would give him one more trial before sentencing him to a penal institution.

He ordered that the young man be placed on parole, under the supervision of the probation officer, for a term of six years, during which time he is to report regularly and give an account of his behavior. If he is detected in any more violations of the law no mercy will be shown to him.

LAKE TAHOE ATTRACTS MANY SOCIETY PEOPLE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Edward Worden, who came down from Tahoe for a few days, will return this week to the Tavern and remain in the city. They will be accompanied by Mrs. A. N. Towne, who, during their previous stay at the lake, was the guest of Mrs. Isaac Regia in Piedmont.

Miss Linda Caldwell is spending a few days in town with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Caldwell, and expects to return the end of the week to Burlingame.

Miss Helen Chesbrogh has returned from Monterey, where she spent the week as the guest of Mrs. Robert J. Woods.

Mrs. William Fletcher McNutt and her little granddaughter, Marie Louise Potter, left today for Aspen, Colo. to spend a month with Mr. and Mrs. David Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rathbone have moved into the new apartment on Broadway which they have been busy furnishing for many weeks. Since their return from the South they have been the guest of Mrs. Rathbone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jesselyn.

Mrs. Jennie Whitthor Bothin and her little daughter Genevieve returned yesterday from Tahoe, where they have been enjoying a month's outing at the Tavern.

Joseph D. Grant is on the way home from England, where Mrs. Grant and the children will remain the rest of the summer. In their country place in Lexington, Mr. Grant will join his family a little later, when a trip to Egypt is among the probabilities.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schussler will leave early next week for New York, en route to Europe, where they will spend a few months traveling. Miss Alice Schussler, who recently fell from a horse in Santa Barbara and fractured her arm, is now convalescing.

Miss Kate Dillon has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Alheim Folger at their home near Redwood.

Charles E. Green and his son Allan, who have been in Europe for the past three months, will leave for home the end of this week. Mr. Green went abroad to take the cure and returns much improved in health.

Mrs. Charles C. Hooker and Miss Hooker have gone to Del Monte to remain indefinitely. They were joined yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. George L. and Mrs. Charlotte Lund who motored down to spend a few days.

Miss Mary Jesselson returned today from San Mateo, where she was the guest of Mrs. and Mr. Horace Davis Pillsbury.

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Supervisors Will Investigate Complaint Which Comes From Decoto.

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BUILT UP THE STREETS. It seems that notwithstanding the ownership of the property would not convey any of the street, a house has been constructed on one side of the street and some trees have been planted, and shade trees which, it is admitted, would have to be sacrificed in the event of the opening of the thoroughfare.

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DILL & WARD, WHO ARE CREAT NG A SENSATION AT THE BELL THEATER THIS WEEK.

Say, ladies, have you seen it? What? No, not a directorate or any modification of the sheath gown, but the few old dress worn by Miss Ward at the Bell this week? It is without question the handsomest product of the Parisian modiste's art, the cutest, daintiest, thing imaginable.

See it by all means and then you will appreciate the fact that the realization of this dream in gowns cost pretty penny. It is a perfect blaze of jewels, that dazzle you as you admire the pretty wearer in her clever dancing. It scintillates and shines; it lures; it is the sparkle of the diamond and you wonder how the fair owner is safe from the enervation of thieves.

In Seattle only a fortnight ago the two special officers of the Pinkerton detectives who are detailed to carry this gown from the local theater and deposit it safely in one of the strong boxes of the city were held up. Both officers carrying parcels, it was impossible to tell which one was in possession of the dress; a fortune in it

CLAIMS DAUGHTER'S HUSBAND THREW HER OUT

Pathetic Case Brought to Light as Result of Young Man's Arrest.

Claude Botsford will appear in the Police Court tomorrow to answer to a charge of battery preferred by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Archie McLaughlin, who lives but a few doors from the accused, and whose husband, a gardener, is now serving a term of thirty days in the city prison for petty larceny.

Botsford was accused of battery by his mother-in-law after he had taken his own child from her arms and ordered her out of his house. A child was born to Botsford's wife Saturday night. Mrs. Botsford called throughout the night for her husband, and neighbors who were interested in the case related the circumstances to the police, with the result that Botsford was released on his own recognizance by Captain Lynch.

Botsford and his mother-in-law had a disagreement as to which physician should be called in attendance upon his wife. As a result Botsford ordered the woman from his house and his arrest followed. Owing to the death of Botsford's child it is probable that his case will be continued tomorrow and he may be dismissed in the end.

MOTHER HEARS FROM HER MISSING SON

Lad for Whom Police Had Searched for Eight Months Is on Way Home.

Thirteen-year-old George Clark, son of Mrs. G. W. Clark of 588 Ninth street, who was reported among the missing eight months ago, has been located in Seattle and is now on his way home. On November 5 last young Clark left Seattle for Oakland to meet his mother. He arrived on the steamer Ohio on November 5, but owing to a misunderstanding Mrs. Clark was not at the dock to meet her boy.

FORGOT THE ADDRESS. The lad did not know his mother's address and after spending two or three days in Oakland he returned to Seattle. Since that time the police of many cities have been attempting to locate the boy and it was but a few days ago that his whereabouts were discovered. Mrs. Clark yesterday reported to the local police that her son was safe and would soon be home.

EXPLOSION IS CAUSE OF DISASTROUS FIRE

SAN JOSE, July 27.—A disastrous fire department was called out today to fight a fire that started in the rear of F. F. Fennell's fruit store at 351 South First street from the explosion of a coal oil stove in the rear of the building. The building and stock were destroyed. This is the fifth fire since early yesterday morning.

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Supervisor Hornor said that after that report had been made the board would do whatever would be legal to straighten out the matter.

DILL & WARD, WHO ARE CREAT NG A SENSATION AT THE BELL THEATER THIS WEEK.

Say, ladies, have you seen it? What? No, not a directorate or any modification of the sheath gown, but the few old dress worn by Miss Ward at the Bell this week? It is without question the handsomest product of the Parisian modiste's art, the cutest, daintiest, thing imaginable.

See it by all means and then you will appreciate the fact that the realization of this dream in gowns cost pretty penny. It is a perfect blaze of jewels, that dazzle you as you admire the pretty wearer

BASEBALL

Oakland Loses
To the Beavers

PUGILISM

Gans Anxious
To Meet Bat

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LOCAL FANS SEE A SEE-SAW GAME AT FREEMAN'S PARK | ATHENIANS WILL BE BACK HOME AGAIN TOMORROW

COFFROTH MAY REMATCH
BAT AND GANS TONIGHTMission Street Promoter Will Have a Little
Talk With Managers of Fighters
This Evening.

That Joe Gans and Battling Nelson will meet in a return match before Jimmy Coffroth's club is now an almost assured fact.

Benny Selig returned yesterday from Gans' camp at Middletown, and he brings news that the boxer is in better condition than he has been any time during the last five years. According to Selig, Gans gained five pounds since the beginning of his stay in Lake county. Benny Selig says that Joe Gans well, sleeps well and is enjoying himself in great shape.

MEETING TONIGHT

A return match between Jimmy Coffroth and Battling Nelson will be the main event of a return match for Gans with Nelson. Willis Bitt will be on hand to represent Nelson, and the chances are that something definite will take form.

A return match between this pair is one of the desirable futures in pugilism. Of course Nelson trained Gans the last out, but then Gans has a win over Nelson, so that the next meeting will be for the title.

GANS ENTITLED TO MATCH.

That Gans did not make as good a fight as he is capable of last time goes without saying. There is no desire in making this statement to take one iota of credit from Battling Nelson for that victory. But of the matter for the win. When Bat took Gans on last time he was the only one light-weight in the world who was willing to take a chance with Gans. Also he remembered that he was confident of his own strength, and that his confidence was not shared by the public or the talent. For all this, however, Gans is entitled to another try at the honors he so long defended and lost to Nelson.

RETURN MATCH WANTED.

That a return match between Nelson and Gans would be well received by the public is the opinion of the best judges of the pugilist. Dear reader, let me tell you something of the public did not want a return match between this pair your humble servant, J. W. Coffroth, would not be a better. James is not one of those who will seek more's nest. He is better than that, and has the public confidence in his ability to pull off great and even pugilistic contests.

James would just as soon risk his reputation with the public by putting on a bad match as Bill Tatt would risk his chances of becoming President by getting run over by a Philadelphia street car.

MATCH LOOKS TEMPTING.

The Gans-Nelson return match looks to be the big noise and the crash in pugilistic futures. Gans thinks that he can reverse the Nelson win. But that as it may, he is entitled to a crack at it. Selig, who is manager of Gans, says that he is willing to fight his man against Nelson on the same terms as governed the last bout. Whether Coffroth will be willing to concede that point is another question. It is said that the fighters not 75 per cent of the house the last time they fought. That it would be only fair for Coffroth to let off a bit of this percentage this time is as plain as the nose on Tom Cribb's face. Coffroth is entitled to some consideration for promoting matches. And the chances are that he will not slip the entire cream jar to the fighters next time they meet.

KELLY AND KETCHEL.

Kelly and Ketchel are coming along nicely in their training for their fight to be held in San Francisco next Friday night. Kelly is working hard at Croll's Gardens in Alameda and he expects to give Ketchel a tough go.

The Italian is a very crafty fighter and has a good ring record. He can hit and is clever and the chances are that he will make some noise. Ketchel is the twenty rounds that the fight is scheduled to go.

During his time Kelly fought such notables as Jack the Twin, latter named Mulvey, Mr. Michael Schreck of Cincinnati, O., and that sterling pugilist, Philadelphia Jawn O'Brien. With all of them Kelly fought bravely and well and as a good and true man.

Of course, in fighting Ketchel, Kelly will have a tougher man than any of the above three-quarters of the "Twin Four." Ketchel is a savvy pugilist. He is likely to make an opponent hard at any moment. There is no "two step" stuff about Ketchel. He fights to win and generally does. If Kelly is able to weather the storm of blows that Ketchel will mete him with the twenty rounds he will be doing better than coast fans expect of him.

Smith and Sears
Are Twin Stars

SAN JOSE, July 27.—Walter was in great form last night, and as a result of his good pitching, the Frisco Pickers (known as the Champions 2 to 0). It was a neat game of ball and a great crowd saw the contest. Sears' two-magger in the third inning with two men on bases started things and Smith's hard smash over Moriarty's head finished it up. Errors by Joyce and Moriarty allowed the Frisco Pickers to put the first two men on bases.

Shay, Moriarty, and Lacey performed some fine fielding feats. Shay's playing was particularly spectacular and he robbed at least two of the locals of clean base hits.

Water pitched such fine ball that the leaders were never dangerous. He fanned nine. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
San Jose.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Stockton.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits.....	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0

Arrow Wins the
Model Yacht Race

The Arrow, W. Little's model yacht, won the penultimate race in the Golden Gate Park yesterday. The wind was fine for the racing and the enthusiasts enjoyed a great day's sport.

In the first round Commodore J. E. Johnson's "Larch" beat M. London's "Hick," Skidlow beat Hey's "Agnis," and Little's "Arrow" beat H. London's "Imp." Skidlow beat H. London in the second round and Arrow drew the bye. In the finals Arrow beat Skidlow.

Young Tribunes
Win a Ball Game

The Young Tribunes defeated the Young St. Mary's in a one-sided game of baseball at the Frisco team yesterday by a score of 16 to 3. The Young Tribunes are still undefeated. They would like to hear from any team averaging fourteen but two hits. Bloomfield struck out six and was to be hit for five hits. Haley played short for Newman.

Modesto Nine
Wins Another

MODESTO, July 27.—Modesto's cricket team defeated the Frisco team yesterday by a score of 2 to 0. The game was a pitcher's battle between Doolittle and Bloomfield, in which the former had the better of it, striking out eleven men and allowing but two hits. Bloomfield struck out six and was to be hit for five hits. Haley played short for Newman.

BILLY PAPKE WOULD MEET
KETCHEL OVER DERBY ROUTE

In a recent interview in New York, Billy Papke, erstwhile Thunderville, Cyclone and other national phenomena, declared that he would give his right eye to get a chance at Ketchel in a longer bout.

Billy was also careful to state that when he meets Ketchel again that he will step back at the beginning and not let the Grand Rapids Roarer slam him on the knicker and unloosen any of his chawers.

Jimmy Coffroth says the Ketchel-Papke fight at Milwaukee and has had fond eyes on the pair for a long time but at his Mission street arena. The chances are that if Mr. Papke is really very desirous of fighting Ketchel again, and he will drop Coffroth one of those one cent postals that Jimmy will flex up a little return meeting between the pair. They should make a great drawing card for the Mission street arena.

"IN THE WORLD OF PUGDOM"

GET THE MAP, HUNT THE PLACE UP
AND TAKE A LONG SLANT AT THISFresno Beats
The Sand Crabs

SANTA CRUZ, July 27.—It was a hot old game here yesterday and the fans were furnished with plenty of excitement. Fresno won, 7 to 5. In the eighth inning of the game Manager Baum of Fresno and Umpire Moore became entangled in an argument. The Fresno manager was escorted from the field by the police. Miller took up the burden and was replaced by Smith after four runs had been scored. With the score tied in the ninth Kelly doubled to center and with two down scored on Kennedy's home run walk over the left field fence. Kennedy was again a disturber. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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Vallejo Nine
Beats Santa Rosa

VALLEJO, July 27.—Vallejo won from Santa Rosa yesterday afternoon by a score of 8 to 6. The game was full of squabbles and unsatisfactory to the spectators.

Billiard Notes

The pool tournament at the Oakland Billiard Parlor was brought to a close Friday night in a grand game by Wilson, who fought his way through three games and landed winner of second prize. He defeated Stephenson in the opening game of the evening, 75 to 40, which left the three players in the tie series on even terms, each having one game won to one lost to their credit. Wilson then won again from Stephenson, 75 to 70. Mills defeated Stephenson, 90 to 27. Wilson won from Mills, 75 to 25.

Poor Boobs Win
Another Game

ALAMEDA, July 27.—There was a great old-fashioned slugging hearing yesterday when Oakland won its third game. San Francisco was the victim and the score was 13 to 8—Schwartz's team shows considerable improvement and should put up a great game from this time on. Oakland's best lining was the sixth, when they scored five runs. The game was full of good hitting. San Francisco grabbed eleven hits off of Goidy, while Oakland slammed Despard for fifteen. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Alameda.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Portland.....	0	0	1	2	3	2	2	0	10

Oaklands to Play
Angels Tomorrow

Van Halten, with his rejuvenated team of Athletics, will be back on the home ward tomorrow afternoon and the Oakland team will oppose the Angels.

The Athletics are playing and improved article of baseball is instanced in their recent series with the Beavers with whom they split even.

Van thinks that the new line-up will play great ball. The fans should get out and encourage the home team, as their playing of late outlives them to encouragement from the Oakland fans.

GARDEN CITY WHEELMEN
WIN BERG CUP CONTEST

The Garden City Wheelmen won their annual race for the Berg Cup on the San Leandro triangle yesterday. Earl Johnson pitched well for five innings and then he gave in and was hit good and hard. McHale was the star swifter for the Capitals. He lammed out three hits. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Alameda.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Portland.....	0	0	1	2	3	2	2	0	10

ALAMEDA, July 27.—The Cordova, with Brown hurling, had little trouble in winning from Alameda here yesterday. When the game was concluded the score stood 7 to 1 in favor of the Sacramento nine. The Sacramento pitcher had the Athletics at his mercy and allowed them only five scattered hits.

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Alameda.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
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President to Greet
American Athletes

WASHINGTON, July 27.—President Roosevelt, if he can make arrangements to do so, will greet the athletes who so honorably carried the Stars and Stripes in the recent Olympic games in London. If the entire squad of athletes return in a body the President will try and make arrangements to greet them, and failing in this he will probably invite them to Sagamore Hill. The President wants to tell the boys how grossly "beat" they are in London.

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ANGELS WIN MORNING GAME
WHILE SEALS TAKE SECONDLong's Men Play Bone-Headed Baseball
at Freeman's Park, but Do Better
at Recreation Park.

BY T. P. MAGILLIGAN.

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Mr. Mohler's band of Thoughtless Wonders opposed Frank Dillon's nine of all players, and during their thinking exercises regularly, and the meeting resulted in a win for the Angels, 7 to 6. This transpired at Freeman's Park yesterday morning. The Seals had numerous chances to win out, but they demurred to take the game.

PITCHERS HAMMERED HARD.

Nacle and Oscar Jones started out to oppose each other on the firing line. Both gents sent up distress signals at the sixth inning and they were replaced by Thorsen and Henley. The latter pair showed better form than their predecessors.

Los Angeles was first to score. They gathered one in the second spasm of a walk to Wheeler, Ellis' sacrifice fly, and a single by Thorsen. The latter pair showed better form than their predecessors.

In the half of the second the Seals played wonderfully clever ball. Although the Seals made two hits in this inning and the Angels made an error, the Los Angeles scored.

The Athletics slipped another over the third by a combination of errors by Cooley, Kuffert and Madden at shortstop. That was all for the Seals. Score: 4 to 4.

The Beavers got a late start, but commenced to find the slim Mr. Nelson in the fourth. Two hits produced nothing for the run and the Athletics were left with one hit. The Seals were scored on only one hit.

Nelson became wobbly with one out and passed Garrett and Casey. He was wayed to the bench and Hardy took his place. Things broke bad for the Seals from the outset. Atman dangled the Seals' grounders and then threw the ball away, sending Garrett across with the first run for the locals. Rallying failed, and the Seals were left with a clean break to center, which scored Casey and Jassery.

In the sixth Portland made another winning play. Whaling, who had succeeded Madden in the bat, stepped to right. Hardy attempted to catch him off first, but threw wild, and Whaling brought up at third. Garrett was passed for the third time, and Casey rapped a single to center.

Dellar was sent in the seventh, and Portland made two more. Johnson was passed, and Ryan laced the ball against right-field fence for a double, scoring Hardy. The bat, then, to right. Hardy dumped a bunt, and Ryan raced a clean plate with the final tally of the game. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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The French in Canada.

Quebec was founded in 1608. Jamestown was settled the year previous, but Jamestown was abandoned long before the Revolutionary war, while Quebec has continued to grow in importance up to the present time. It is entitled, therefore, to rank as the first of the important European settlements north of the Rio Grande. Cortez had conquered Mexico in the early part of the sixteenth century, and both the Spanish and French had founded settlements in Florida; also missionary posts had been established in New Mexico. But all these earlier settlements were abandoned or were comparatively insignificant. Quebec is an important city, and is still French and Catholic.

An English prince landed there the other day to participate in the tercentenary celebration. It is interesting to recall that he is a lineal descendant of Henry IV, during whose reign the first permanent settlement of Canada was effected. Having abjured the Huguenot faith for political reasons Canada was settled as a Catholic province, and Catholic she remains to this day. Excepting the Irish, Rome has no more devoted and faithful followers than the French Canadians descended from the pioneers who settled the country as subjects of a king, who was Protestant at heart, and who came to people the new world under the direction of the Duc de Sully, Henri Quatre's great minister, who lived and died a Huguenot.

The flag of England flies over the ancient walls of Quebec, but the young prince who is being feted and caressed as the blood representative of the British monarch is a direct descendant of the ancient royal house of France. In his veins flows the blood of both branches of the French Bourbons, the Medicis, the Plantagenets, the Stuarts of Scotland, half a dozen German royal families and the royal line of Denmark. So the French in Canada are still ruled by a prince of the ancient line of France, although he is the monarch of another realm and is the scion of a Teutonic dynasty. But among his heraldic quarterings is the coat of arms of the House of Bourbon.

His presence in Canada and the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of the Dominion, prophesying ultimate independence for British North America naturally directs attention to the French in Canada. They are among the most fecund and virile races of the earth. They cling to their language, customs and religion with a persistence that has baffled all attempts to Anglicize them. They have multiplied with astonishing rapidity. Their number at the time of the British conquest is estimated at 70,000. They now number more than a million and a half, and are spreading out into New England, Ontario and the maritime provinces. While loyal to the British crown they are intensely French in their racial sympathy.

More and more are they becoming important as an integral element of the population of the Dominion. Within the confines of their habitat is the commercial and financial metropolis of British North America. For twelve years the leading statesman and the undisputed head of the dominant party of the Dominion has been a French Canadian. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is by far the ablest and most notable statesman of native birth the Dominion has yet produced. If he has welded the French of lower Canada into the body politic of the Dominion, he has lifted his race to a higher place in the politics of his country and made them more potential in the affairs of government. His figure is a commanding one in Europe as well as America, and he is looked upon in England with respectful admiration. Yet until recent years the French Canadians were viewed by British statesmen as essentially foreign colonists to be Anglicized in speech and thought and finally absorbed by the English-speaking race. But the Canadian French refuse to be either absorbed or Anglicized. Their fecundity, their thrift, their rare persistence have defied all attempts to subordinate them ethnologically to other races or reduce them to a state of financial and industrial dependence. They are even pushing the English and Scotch out of the region below Lake Ontario, and they are steadily becoming a more influential factor in the affairs of the Dominion.

And though the British flag flies over them they rejoice in guarantees which insure their racial integrity and supremacy in the province of Quebec. Moreover, they can point to their imperial suzerain as a prince lineally descended from the great French king who planted their forefathers in New France and united the Catholics and Protestants of Old France in national sentiment. Hardy descendants in the main of Normans and Bretons, they unite in themselves the most adventurous blood of the Celtic and Scandinavian races. Whatever may be the political future of Canada they are destined to increase in potency and influence, for of late years they have been steadily reinforced by emigration from France, which, though small in proportion to the emigration from the British Isles to other parts of the Dominion, serves to reinvigorate the blood and renew the ancient ties of kinship and speech.

The Lodi Chamber of Commerce has uttered a protest against shipping green table grapes to market. It should receive thoughtful attention. It is an injury to the fruit industry of California to place green and unwholesome fruit on the market. The orange industry has suffered from the shipment East of frostbitten oranges, and our deciduous fruit trade has suffered similar injury from sending abroad unripe and inferior fruit. However, the greed for immediate profit blinds a good many to the bad policy and inherent dishonesty of imposing unwholesome fruit on consumers. They care nothing for consequence so long as they can sell the stuff. But the State suffers in business and reputation from their operations. The commercial organizations of California and the fruit growers should co-operate in a movement to discourage sending unripe and inferior fruit to market.

Walker, the absconding Connecticut banker, was given a sentence of twenty-one years for his crimes. He only got away with half a million belonging to the depositors. J. Dalzell Brown got away with ten times as much, but under the Spreckels system of administering justice he was given a sentence of eighteen months and is now seeking a pardon.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Back pay is usually slow about coming to the front.

A little learning and a little widow are dangerous things.

How we enjoy meeting a man who has no tale of woe to tell.

A wise man is apt to know when he has enough before he gets it.

Men never make mistakes—after the undertaker gets busy with them.

Most people who claim to want justice may be thankful they don't get it.

People who dwell in paper houses should refrain from casting insinuations.

About all you have to do to make a boy hate any particular kind of food is to tell him that it is healthful.

Much sympathy is wasted on people who ought to be ashamed to keep the undertaker waiting for a job.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A boy can learn some very good habits by not adopting any of his father's.

It takes only self-control to tolerate your relatives. It takes will power to be nice to them.

There is no better way for a girl to be unpopular with other girls than to be popular with men.

A nice thing about a woman losing all her hair is how curly what she gets to take its place can be.

When her husband can fix her sewing machine for her a woman can never understand how he isn't a grand success in business.

REGULAR CONDITIONS.

An investigation has been conducted in the District of Columbia which set forth a surprising result as to the physical condition of the youth of the city of Washington. Under the recent child labor law, those under sixteen years of age must first obtain a certificate of rugged health before accepting a position. Since June 30, 1700 such children have been passed upon by the official inspector. Of the number rejected, seventy-five were boys and only two girls. It is stated that the number of male applicants was the larger, but the percentage of boys suffering from physical disability was very much larger than that of girls. The defect that caused the rejection was principally heart and lung trouble. Inquiry has satisfied the inspectors that similar conditions are to be found in all large cities, that is, that city girls under the age of sixteen are far healthier than city boys of corresponding ages.—Manchester Union.

THE NEWEST REVOLUTION.

Honduras seems to be the latest victim of the Latin-American revolution. So menacing are conditions in the insignificant republic that the United States will probably be compelled to send a gunboat to Honduran waters to prevent the destruction of American property. The barefooted brown soldiers of the Central American insurrectionary armies are little more responsible than mischievous children. They run amok for a time, and smash things generally, without distinction. If it were not for this propensity to destroy property neither the United States nor any other great nation would greatly care how often the revolutions occur. A new revolutionary government is usually quite as stable and satisfactory as the one it drives out.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PEACE AND OLYMPIC GAMES.

At the original Olympic games held on that famous little plain in Elis, on the western coast of the Peloponnese, pure Hellenic blood was the first qualification demanded of the competitor. In the fifth modern revival of the games, opened yesterday in London, twenty-one nations are represented. There is an entry even from Turkey. In the old classic days of Greece the plain at Olympia was dedicated to Zeus; the sports themselves adorned a festival of religious character. Today's Olympiad is peculiarly secular. A National Review writer reminds us, nevertheless that there is room still to apply to the new celebration of the games, with all its international outlook, that idea of peace and unity which attached to the ancient competition; which led to the proclamation by heralds throughout Greece of a truce covering the period of the contests between all fighting cities and states. There are about two thousand athletes entered in the lists at London. "These young men," says the Review writer, "Lorn Dunsborough, "are representative of the generation into whose hands the destinies of most of the nations of the world are passing at this moment."

BLAMES WOMAN FOR HIS THEFT

Soldier at Monterey Arrested for Stealing Jewels in Portland.

PACIFIC GROVE, July 27.—Private Riggs, Company D, Twentieth Infantry, has been arrested here by a detective from Portland, Oregon, on a charge of having broken into a private residence in Portland and stolen diamonds and jewelry valued at \$300. It is said that Riggs confessed that he stole the jewelry and said that he did so because a woman with whom he was living had to have money. He will be taken back to Portland by the detective tonight.

Riggs enlisted at Angel Island a month ago and was immediately assigned to the Twentieth Infantry.

PICKPOCKET ROBS MAN OF WELL-FILLED PURSE

J. F. Nolan of 1654 Seventh street was the victim of a pickpocket yesterday. He having been robbed while on the streets of his pocket book, which contained \$145 in gold. Nolan does not know just where the theft was committed.

MAY PURCHASE PORTION OF BIG CANNING BLOCK ON BROADWAY

Rumor That Cohn Bros. Will Buy Property and Erect Building

George W. Austin, the local realty dealer, reports that the closing of the sale of the remaining Broadway frontage of the Canning block at the southeast corner of Broadway and Thirteenth street is still pending, but it is rumored that the property is to be purchased by Cohn Bros. of the Bell Theater. The property about to be sold is 88 6-12x90 feet. The price has not been mentioned.

The sub-committee of the committee on the Thirteenth street subdivision, 60x100 feet.

A. Jonas, the well-known clothier of this city, purchased the corner, 61 6-12x90 feet, of this block recently and the deed has been recorded. The regents of the State University have loaned \$100,000 on this property.

Rumor has it that the Bank of Germany is to occupy the premises when the present lease expires.

The "breaking up" of this large, centrally located business block, enabling its sale and consequent ownership by several of the local business men, is considered a good move for Broadway. Eventually the old structure will be dismantled and modern Class A buildings will be erected by the new owners.

W. R. HEARST IS MADE CHAIRMAN

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of delegates that the convention ran with its night session tonight, a meeting which will last all through Tuesday, finish its work tomorrow evening. The delegates to the opening session will comprise, after the usual opening formalities, the address of Mr. Hearst as temporary chairman and the appointment of the various committees. It is expected that the sub-committees of the committee on resolutions which will be appointed to do the heavy work in drafting the platform, will report to the full committee at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and that the platform will be formally presented to the convention by noon of that day.

HISGEN IS CONFIDENT.

The followers of the various presidential candidates were busy today opening headquarters and organizing the campaigns for their respective leaders. There seemed to be considerable enthusiasm among the followers of Hisgen and Howard, and much optimism was shown by the adherents of other candidates. Hisgen, who has shown considerable strength, especially among the eastern delegates, seemed highly pleased over the outlook today. "I have received pledges of support," he said, "from many of the delegates, and although I cannot say that the convention will select me I know that I will be elected and believe I will make a better showing on the second, if one is taken."

Milton W. Howard of Alabama, whose headquarters were opened today in the Madison Hotel, expressed himself in a similar manner and seemed confident of ultimate success.

The New York delegation, some of its members declare, will not make a strong and continued fight for Reuben B. Long of that State. He will have given a preliminary vote on the first ballot, and after that the New York people will probably place their strength elsewhere. It is known that Hisgen expects a material gain from this direction.

Among the delegates arriving today were those from California, Nevada, Utah and New Mexico. They were undecided in their Presidential preferences, many of them, however, favoring Howard of Alabama. The Nevada people brought with them the first Vice Presidential boom that has thus far made its appearance. It was that of General J. C. Harriman of Nevada, and his delegation declared they would make a strong fight in his behalf.

AGAINST ANY FUSION.

Among the delegates who arrived today some of whom held their caucuses on the main, the sentiment was strong against any fusion with either the Democratic or the Republican party and the question of whether the convention would endorse Bryan was usually provocative of a laugh or an indignant ejaculation. But one sentiment is expressed among the delegates on that point and all of them are in favor of nominating a candidate of their own.

The western delegates also brought with them a resolution which they will endeavor to have inserted in the platform. In effect it denounces the government for selling public power to private parties in the particular instance of the Roosevelt Dam in the West, where they claim that the government sells electrical power costing two cents per kilowatt for eight or ten times that sum.

GENERAL COXEY THERE.

Among the arrivals of the day were "Green" Jacob Coxe, who is a delegate. Mr. Coxe came today with pamphlets and papers prepared to make a plea before the resolutions committee for the insertion of a plank providing for the issue by the government of non-interest-bearing bonds. Mr. Coxe made a fight at the Populist convention in St. Louis for the adoption of his idea, but it was not incorporated in the platform.

W. R. Hearst Made Chairman

CHICAGO, July 27.—The national committee of the Independence party met today and decided upon the following officers of the temporary organization, all of whom will undoubtedly be made permanent officers with the exception of Wm. R. Hearst who will be succeeded.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

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SUPERVISORS ALLOW USE OF TUNNEL FOR TROLLEY LINE

The Proposed Road to Run Between Oakland and Walnut Creek

The Supervisors, this morning, in committee of the whole, decided to grant the application of A. W. Maltby and Joseph Naphthali, for permission to operate an electric street railway through the Alameda county part of

what is known as the Alameda-Costa tunnel, for a term of five years. The proposed road is to run from Walnut Creek, Contra Costa county, to this city.

All the members of the board were present save Supervisor Mitchell.

IMPOSED CONDITIONS.

The board, however, insisted that the applicants pledge themselves to do a number of things to prevent accidents from happening, as a consequence of the operation of the line and also to keep the tunnel in a perfect condition.

District Attorney Brown was present at the meeting as were also the applicants referred to and was instructed by the board to draft a resolution setting forth conditions which the board would insist upon in consideration of granting the privilege referred to.

WHAT MUST BE DONE.

In a general way the conditions enumerated require the railway company to provide gates at the entrances to the tunnel to exclude vehicles when a car is passing through the bore; to keep a watchman night and day at each end of the driveway; to maintain and operate semaphores to keep the tunnel illuminated all the time; and finally to keep the roadway and side and arch walls in good condition at all times.

This resolution, it is expected, will be presented at the next meeting. The application referred to as

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filed June 8, of this year. It has been discussed several times and when last before the board was continued until today.

STATE IS TO SUE PULLMAN CO. FOR \$33,000 IN TAXES

SACRAMENTO, July 27.—A complaint has been drawn up by Attorney-General Webb in a suit to be brought by the State of California against the Pullman Car Company to recover the sum of \$33,000 for State and county taxes.



Yosemite Valley

Via Merced and Yosemite Valley R. R. to El Portal—the gateway.

Leave San Francisco	8:45 a. m.
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Arrive Merced	1:52 p. m.
Leave Merced (Y. V. R. R.)	2:30 p. m.
Arrive El Portal	6:20 p. m.
Stop is made at El Portal over night, taking stage next morning at 7:30, arriving Sentinel Hotel at 11:00 a. m.	

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SOCIETY SMART SET

The members of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority held a picnic and reunion in the Berkeley hills Saturday afternoon. Luncheon was served on the green grass under one of the large oaks.

This sorority is one of the leading college sororities and has among its members many of the prominent students.

Among those who enjoyed the affair were Miss Myrtle Sims, Miss Marion K. Morrow, Miss Varina Morrow, Miss Mary Blossom, Miss Helen Jewell, Miss Daisy Downey, Miss Mary Elizabeth Reed, Miss Helen Lewis, Miss Marion Wilson, Miss Elmer Bennett, Miss Gertrude Davidson, Miss Mary Downey, Miss Eugene Hallett, Mrs. E. Crappier and Miss Lee Ackridge.

SPOTS AROUND SANTA CRUZ.

A colony of Oakland folks may be found at any of the attractive spots in the Santa Cruz mountains. Bon L'Amont, as usual attracts so many with its natural beauty. The Cliftons are occupying Bella Vista this season and there is some talk of a number of the family purchasing the site for a summer home.

The E. F. Fairchild of Berkeley has a white cottage for the summer. "Crow's Nest" has had a number of visitors this summer. Miss McInnis has made everyone so comfortable in the little tents and in her cosy bungalow that a visit another year is eagerly anticipated. Among her visitors this summer were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Behrman, Mrs. C. C. Martin, Clarence Martin, Miss Nancy Turnbull, Miss Jessie Connell, J. Melrose Wilson, Jack Stanton and Ernest Dutton.

TO VISIT HAWAII.

Mrs. Elmina White and her son, Sydney, of Euclid avenue, Berkeley, are to leave early in August for a trip to Honolulu.

MOUNT HERMON SOJOURNERS.

Many Oaklanders find Mount Hermon an attractive spot during the summer months. It is especially attractive during the convention days when one meets so many friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. George Sherron is enjoying a sojourn at this pretty place and has in her party her daughter, Miss Evelynne, and son Lloyd and Mr. Williams.

GUEST FROM SAN JOSE.

Miss Estelle Thompson of San Jose is visiting Oakland and Berkeley. Miss Thompson is a member of the exclusive set of San Jose and a very popular girl. She is the guest of former college friends during her visit.

FIVE HUNDRED PARTY.

Mrs. Clarence Sherron entertained a dozen guests recently, the diversion of the afternoon being the well liked game of "500."

After the cards an informal musicale was given. A dainty supper concluded the afternoon's enjoyment.

TO RETURN FROM THE EAST.

To the delight of her many friends Miss Ruth Casey is soon to return from a visit to relatives on the Atlantic coast. The death of Mrs. W. J. Casey last winter has caused the withdrawal of Mrs. Casey and Miss Casey from social activity.

Mrs. Casey is spending a month at home where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Winslip at their beautiful home.

FORTNIGHT AT LAKE TAHOE.

Mrs. J. Fossenden Clarke, of Piedmont, will accompany a party of friends to Lake Tahoe where they are to remain for a fortnight. Mrs. Clark has been making a trip through Southern California, from which she has recently returned.

WEEK END AT MILL VALLEY.

Mrs. C. S. Chamberlain, the chairman of the vacation playground, spent the week-end at Mill Valley where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dunn.

STORK VISITS JOHNSON HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Johnson received a call from the stork last week when a dear little baby was brought to their home. Their many friends are showering them with congratulations. Mrs. Johnson was Miss Edna Durr, before her marriage, and has many friends in the city where she formerly made her home.

MOTOR TRIP TO BOLINAS.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lacy Brayton and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wayman have returned from a most enjoyable motor trip to Bolinas.

AT SARATOGA SPRINGS.

Among the Oakland people who are registered at Saratoga Springs are the following: C. E. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gunn, A. F. Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs.

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GREEK LETTER SORORITY ENJOY OUTING IN THE BERKELEY HILLS



MRS. GEORGE HUMPHREY, who is to soon leave for a tour of the world.

W. M. Watson, J. J. Smith Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Eastman, Louis Parker, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. William (Grosskurth) Judok T. W. Harris, Miss Harris, Myron Harris, Miss Mae Hoppe, Mrs. A. A. White, Mrs. Chester White, Ray White, Miss Vera White, Miss Nina Dozier, Miss Alice Lytle, Miss Eleanor (Gallagher) Miss Gertrude Doling, Miss Nellie Atteuer, J. S. Castle, W. A. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Johnson, G. R. Pope, A. B. Neal, W. H. Mansfield and J. H. Chapman are guests from Alameda.

BYRON SPRINGS ARRIVALS.

Many prominent Oakland folks have registered at Byron during the past week, among whom are Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Deckmann, Miss Deckmann, Geo. Deckmann, Frank de Mello, Mr. and Mrs. John Kinsman, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Allen, F. E. Casey, N. T. Willford, Charles Rodolph, E. G. Rodolph, Miss Edith Hedmark, J. L. Paternande, R. P. Palmer, Mrs. D. Dredger, J. L. Hall.

NAPA RESORT ATTRACTS.

Among the many attractive summer resorts, Sold Comfort Home, Napa, may be included, the following Oaklanders having visited there during the past week: Mrs. Charles Gallagher and family, Mrs. G. G. Billington and son, Leo L. Nichols and family, Mrs. Theresa Wheeler, Mrs. Waldo S. Rucker, Willie Rucker, Miss Stella Rucker, Waldo Rucker, G. G. Billington, Mrs. C. E. Bain, Miss Juliette Bain, Miss Evelyn Bain, C. E. Bain.

PARAISO SPRINGS.

Alameda county folks find Paraiso Springs a most delightful resort, and among those registering there during the past week were: Thomas McCarthy, Joyce McCarthy, Mrs. A. D. Lagmanne, James H. Robinson Jr., Walter J. Robinson, Mrs. C. S. Neal, Helen L. Neal, Miss A. Smith, John Phillips, Miss H. W. Moffatt, Miss Emma J. Moffatt, S. Wilson, D. S. Mangini, Miss May Finnegan, Mrs. M. Fleming, E. J. Archer and son, Nellie O'Brien, John O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sherman and child, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jones.

TO VISIT TALKED GIRLS.

Miss Mollie Connel will go to Pacific Grove August 1st to remain a month. During her visit she is to be the guest of the Misses Wilcox at their artistic home. The Wilcoxes were formerly residents of San Francisco. Miss Ethel Marion Wilcox is a well-known artist in oil and water colors. Her picture of "The Forest of Fontainebleau" has won much praise and has been loaned for three public exhibitions by its owner, Miss Eleanor Connel. Miss Kate Wilcox has done some beautiful tapestry work copied from the old master in the Louvre. The Wilcoxes are all talented and well-known in art circles.

VACATION SEEKERS AT MONTE RIO.

All along the Russian river may be seen the pretty comfortable little bungalows which have been built by the residents of the cities who enjoy the home comforts during the vacation season. Among the list of people who are sunbathing in this country are Mrs. Cooley and daughter of Berkeley Mr. and Mrs. Anous W. Evans Mrs. J. L. Morris, Mrs. J. Levy and son, and Miss Mildred Turner. Miss Jessie Richards is distinguished as well as a swimmer and golfer. Mrs. A. Clark and her daughter are enjoying a fortnight in one of the cottages.

SURPRISE FOR HUSBAND.

Mrs. R. A. Martin entertained last Wednesday in honor of Mr. Martin, who is soon to leave for California, where he has extensive mining interests. The affair was in the nature of a surprise and the diversion for the evening was "500." The winners of the prizes were Mrs. Mercy Constable and

SOCIETY MATRON TO MAKE TOUR OF THE WORLD

Mr. Sherman who made the highest scores.

The consolation prizes fell to Mrs. Rahn and Mr. Edwards. A dainty supper rounded out the evening's enjoyment.

ENTERTAINED AT COUNTRY CLUB

Among the pretty affairs of the week was a luncheon given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson who entertained in honor of friends from the South.

AUGUST WEDDING.

A wedding of importance and of interest to many in the bay cities will be that of Miss Marie Focher and Captain Lincoln Kilbourne, which will be solemnized in August.

The wedding will be at the beautiful home of Colonel and Mrs. J. Walker Bonet at Benicia where the bride-elect and her family are now stopping. Miss Focher is the daughter of Major and Mrs. Eugene O. Focher and is well-known here, the Fochers having lived at various points in this section of the country. Miss Focher and her fiancée met while in Manila last year.

The wedding will be a home affair and will be witnessed by the relatives and a number of friends. The bridesmaid will be Miss Laura Bonet who will wear a gown of pink flowered chiffon silk and Captain Kilbourne will be the best man.

The bride has chosen a gown of white embroidered mesh-saline for the wedding. The Captain and his bride are to leave a few days after the wedding for the Orient where they will make their home for several months.

HOME WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Rose Elizabeth Cooke of Winters and Leo O. Keller of San Francisco was solemnized at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Frank Russell of 2155 Eagle avenue last Thursday evening.

The Rev. E. L. Mash was the officiating clergyman.

After a short honeymoon trip through the north the young couple will return to San Francisco, where they are to make their home.

SACRAMENTO VISITOR.

Miss Hazel Mills has gone to Sacramento where she will spend her vacation days with friends.

RABBI RETURNS.

The Rev. Dr. M. Friedlander, rabbi of the First Hebrew Congregation, who has been visiting in Napa-Santa-Springa is expected home this week after a sojourn of two weeks at that summer resort.

WEDDING TO BE IN AUGUST.

Miss Laura H. Clayton whose engagement was a recent announcement will become the bride of George H. Martin the latter part of August. It will be a pretty home affair.

The young couple are to make their home in Oakland.

OUTING AT CONCORD.

Miss Violet Richardson, of Berkeley, has returned from Concord, Contra Costa county where she has spent an enjoyable outing as the guest of Miss Linda Gehring. Camping, automobile rides and the ranch life filled the days with pleasure.

TO VISIT NORTHERN RELATIVES.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffatt and family of Berkeley, left on Saturday for Littleton, Colorado where they are to be the guests of Mr. Moffatt's relatives. They are to visit Spokane, Seattle and Portland, where their relatives and friends have planned many affairs in their honor.

ENJOYABLE MOTOR TRIP.

A party of Alameda folks who are enjoying a delightful motor trip through Sonoma and Mendocino counties include A. H. Landsberger, Mr. and Mrs. Landsberger, Master Ray and Lorine Landsberger, Mrs. Ray Bennett and Miss Louise Bennett of Vacaville.

PERSONALS.

Miss Sadie Ringolsky will leave the latter part of the week for Sacramento, where she will be the guest of friends.

HITCHCOCK NAMES HIS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Many Party Leaders Consulted in Making Selection.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Announcement made by Frank H. Hitchcock, chairman of the Republican National Committee, that the following will constitute the executive committee:

Charles F. Bronger, Connecticut; T. Coleman DuPont, Delaware; William E. Borah, Idaho; Frank O. Lowden, Illinois; Charles Nagel, Missouri; Victor Ross-water, Nebraska; William L. Ward, New York; Edward C. Dunne, North Carolina; Boies C. Purpore, Pennsylvania.

Chairman Hitchcock decided to adopt the plan of having the executive committee made up solely from the membership of the national committee. Before selecting the gentlemen named Mr. Hitchcock consulted with the party leaders throughout the country, but being one of the objects of his recent conference.

The statement of the members of the executive committee as between the Eastern and Western headquarters and other details of organization will be announced later.

ATTORNEY LINFORTH SUCCUMBS SUDDENLY

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Albert Linforth, a well-known attorney of this city and a brother of Walter Linforth, died suddenly late Saturday night in the Ancho Vista hotel near San Anselmo. He had gone there for an outing and while at the hotel was suddenly stricken with heart disease, from which he expired in a short time. His wife is lying dangerously ill at her home in this city. Linforth was popular in club and legal circles and his sudden death was a shock to his many friends. He was born in England and was 43 years of age.

ENGLISH ACTRESS IS ORPHEUM STAR



KATIE BARRY, star comedienne at Orpheum.

Bowery Sketch and Musical Novelty Among Features at Playhouse.

BY HUBERT DUNGAN

Katie Barry, from England via New York, furnishes more fun in her twenty minute sketch at the Orpheum this week than any long actor in the city has produced on any local stage for many a long day. There is novelty, freshness, newness in her act.

While all true sons of the Revolution will swear that they can out-do our British cousins in every line of endeavor, it must be admitted that it would take several days' diligent search about America to discover an actress capable of scoring on Cousin Katie in her particular field. Miss Barry wears a hat of the vintage of '88, a skirt that reaches her knees and an enormous pair of red bloomers, something like those that she wears on the stage, waiting a sign. "Have you seen my 'Bowery' funny?" for it seems that Henry was discriminating and had fled. Then you begin to laugh without knowing just why at first. Finally you discover that there is a laugh in every motion Miss Barry makes; she is a real comedian, and is here distinguished, set apart from those who undertake by nature and command to be professional.

Oliver La Vina, May La Vina and Charles A. Claman appear in a twenty on physical culture in which grotesque and comic are blended in a way that is one of the best acts on the stage. This is one of the best acts on the stage, mixing as it does, some very clever acrobatic "stunts" with comic situations.

Tom Barry and Madge Hughes in their Bowery sketch, "A Story of the Streets," certainly "made good" with the Orpheum audience yesterday, for they received considerably more than their fair share of the day's applause. There is a little touch of pathos in their act, a deal of amazing fast slide slang and some rather good acting.

Singer Madge and Madge Carlisle are back for their week of their juvenile comedy, "After School." They present a clean and delightful bit of comedy—one would not miss it if you haven't seen it, and one you will not regret seeing again.

MUSICAL NOVELTY.

Fred Singer, a violinist of no mean ability, gives a musical act unusual in conception. He appears first as the violin maker of Germany, who has just completed a violin which he regards as his masterpiece. He falls asleep and dreams he sees and hears famed violinists of the future playing on his beloved instrument. Singing, with rapid changes of costumes, appears as Bagdad, Kuchel and others.

The program is completed by the Ditty Frank troupe of gymnasts, and very good gymnasts they are; fuses and Taki and Marcelle's living pictures. Marcelle's creations are certainly wonderful, particularly his realistic representation of human anatomy in his "The Anatomy of the Human Body" and "The Anatomy of the Human Body." The "Anatomy of the Human Body" is a "dissecting" look like a book.

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We have had our famous character—"Sunny Jim"—made in the form of a delightfully funny cloth doll, and we will send this to anyone mailing us 2 trademarks from our regular size "FORCE" packages, and enclosing 4c in stamps to cover postage. These dolls are made of tough linen, 15 inches high, and printed in five colors (with full directions for cutting and sewing). They will last for years. Every little boy and girl should have one.

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NEW YORK, July 27.—Being a fender dummy at \$2 a day is a new form of livelihood opened for men out of work by the manufacturers of street car fenders and wheel guards throughout the country. The manufacturers are preparing for a series of tests of their device under a call issued by the public service commission. These tests are to be held at Schenectady in September and another series in Pittsburgh in October. According to communications received by the public service commission there will be no lack of devices for demonstration at the tests and no lack of human dummies to illustrate their workings.

WILLING TO TRY.

One manufacturer of an automatic fender declared that among his employees and other workmen familiar with the device he had no difficulty whatever in getting men to act as dummies at \$2 a day.

The public service commission in its plans for the tests is counting on the use of mannikins made simply for the purpose to represent a child, a youth and a full grown man, but if all the manufacturers of street car fenders and wheel guards there will be no necessity for the use of figures.

"DEATH VALLEY SCOTTY" INJURED; MAY BE BROKE

Hurt in Auto Accident in This City.

As a result of a collision with another automobile Wednesday night in this city, Walter Scott, known as "Scotty" of Death Valley, the miner with mysterious bullion, is confined in a San Francisco sanitarium with a dislocated shoulder blade. He left the St. Francis hotel Thursday without consulting the cashier as to what was the amount of his indebtedness and since that time has not been seen at the hotel.

Scotty himself confesses that the accident works have refused to accept any ore on the ground that he has been high grading. That he is without funds is a fact generally acknowledged, for as the quietness attending his last visit of Scotty to this city the rumor has spread abroad that the mine in Death Valley has ceased to yield up its mysterious treasures and that Scotty is now, in the language of the mining camp, "broke."

FUNERAL OF FORMER SOCIETY WOMAN HELD

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Funeral services for Mrs. A. H. Lisak, who passed away at the home of her son, Lieutenant Colonel Arnold Lisak, in

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BIG FISH STORY FROM NEW YORK

Entire Population Goes Out With Hooks and Lines and Catch Thousands.

NEW YORK, July 27.—All New York went fishing yesterday and will again today. One of the most profitable of edible fish, the LaFayette, which every few years selects the mouth of the Hudson river for a spawning place is now in New York waters in countless thousands. Beginning today and lasting all day Saturday and yesterday, the Hudson river from the Battery to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street has been simply alive with LaFayette.

Every pier along the water front has been thronged with fishermen, fisher boys and fisher women. Such a lot of fish has seldom before invaded the river. The LaFayette bite anything. The LaFayette is what is known as a carp fish and few are larger than five inches. The average is four.

VORACIOUS FISH.

The LaFayette is one of the most voracious of small fish and one of the most delicious as food, as edible quality is concerned. For those who cannot afford to be without it, we still continue to furnish our famous lunch at

Alexander Muir, 432, in three hours; William Haubner, 815, in four hours; Matt Richardson, 711, in five hours; Walter Dutton, 612, in three hours; William Tabb, 110, in thirty minutes. One man had more than a thousand and although tightly strung the exhibit was nearly eight feet long, and you could not see anything but fish six inches deep. A woman, all alone, got 500 and sold them to neighbors.

PROMINENT MINING MAN OF NEVADA PASSES AWAY

George C. Martindale Dies at Byron Springs.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—George C. Martindale, part owner of the Wonder Mine in Nevada and well known in San Francisco, died on Saturday at Byron Springs after a brief illness. He helped to establish the camps of Wonder and Fairview in Nevada, and lived at the former town with his wife and child. Martindale was prominent among the young mining magnates of the new Nevada camps. He formerly resided at Nevada, a mining town in Colorado where he was killed a year ago at the local lodge of Elks. He also held a high office in the Knights of Pythias' lodge at Greedley. He was 42 years of age and a native of Michigan.

Cleveland, Ohio, was held yesterday in Trinity Church. Mrs. Lisak was for many years prominent in San Francisco society circles and had a large number of friends and acquaintances. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Lullmann. Appropriate selections were rendered by the church choir. The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

August 1st

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MYSTERY IN SHOOTING OF MAN

Cleveland Resident, While Sitting By Roadside With Sweet- heart, Strangely Shot Through Heart



Miss Gladys Arbulick, Who Will Be Married Wednesday.

CLEVELAND, July 22.—With a bullet wound just over his heart, a young man who is registered as Louis Weber, is said to be dying at Charity Hospital. Back of the shooting is a mystery which the police of Cleveland and Cleveland Heights, in a fashionable suburb, where it occurred, had not been able to solve until this morning.

The shooting occurred not far from the house of the victim and the shooter and in an murder several months ago and as far as is known, under somewhat different circumstances.

Weber was walking on the heights with a girl, when the police saw them and both principals saw Weber was with two men while the couple was sitting in the grass. The girl helped the young man to the residence of E. M. Root and was taken away.

GIRL TELLS STORY.

To Root she said they had been sitting at the side of the road not far from the Root residence, when five men dashed through the brush and the row of trees and the men seemed greatly excited.

One held a revolver in his hand and a man next to him fired. The bullet struck the girl's companion, pinning through his arm and into his breast, and above the heart. The men disappeared as quickly as they came.

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feet long into which air can be pumped to counter balance the alterations in bulk due to changes in atmospheric pressure. A contracting of the gas due to heat or cold. A window permits the astronaut to look within the gas envelope.

The air or trace gas of Captain Baldwin's ship is suspended from the engine by means of a square mesh netting, which is the creation of Captain Baldwin.

BRITISH DIRIGIBLE.

The Nautilus, the British army dirigible, is a canvas casing to which the air is pumped, while Count Zeppelin's is a cylindrical envelope inflated with hydrogen gas.

...under the numerous balloons which
give buoyancy to his ship.
Although the capacity of Captain Baid
in his gas bag is less than one-fourth
that of the British dirigible its lifting
capacity is nearly as great.

LOW COST OF SHIP.
"There are many things that should
be on my dirigible which I have not been
able to use because of the specifications

the low cost at which the ship was necessarily constructed," said Captain Baldwin today while working upon the assembling of his machine at Fort Myer. Among the attachments lacking, he said, are the immovable blades or fins attached to the envelope which add much

The mechanics have arrived from the U. S. Navy at Hammond and are assisting Captain Baldwin in repairing the machine for its initial flight which probably will take place Monday next.

NO HOLD COTTON OFF THE MARKET

farmers' Union of Mississippi
Will Have 200 Warehouses in
Which to Store Crop.

NEW ORLEANS, July 27.—A special
from Jackson, Miss., says that the Farm-
ers' Union of Mississippi has determined

many surface indications, although the meetings are secret and members are not noting for publication that has been strictly censored. The Union is thoroughly equipped for a practical test. Its membership now includes a large majority of the farmers of the State. Warehouses have been established in almost every community. When the season opens and cotton begins

move in volume the Union will have, is said, close to 150 to 200 warehouses of its own in which cotton may be stored await the caprices of the market.

**THIEF SENTENCED TO
YEAR IN COUNTY JAIL**

**Thief After In San Francisco Is
Sentenced To County Jail**

(Special to The Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Lottie Lange, known to the local police as a top lifter, was sentenced today by Judge Whelan to two terms of six months each in the county jail on charges of battery. The woman got into trouble some time ago with a local department store and today's sentence was the result.

(Special to The Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Lottie Lang, known to the local police as a top lifter, was sentenced today by Judge Ladd to two terms of six months each.

the county jail on charges of battery. The woman got into trouble some time ago with a local department store and a day's sentence was the result.

S. F. ATTORNEY DIES SUDDENLY WHILE IN A MASSAGE PARLOR

William Hale's Demise Cause of an Investigation by the Police

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—William Hale, a well known attorney of this city, died suddenly in an apartment of a massage establishment on Van Ness avenue. Heart disease was the cause of his death. The circumstances attending the attorney's demise were for a while somewhat mysterious, and at the investigation of the coroner's office, the police department made an investigation of the matter. It was reported by the coroner's deputy that while Hale died at 2:30 o'clock, his death was not reported until nearly three hours later, and also that the statements of the persons present at the death—Mrs. Nina Williams, proprietress of the place, and Dr. A. G. Tucher, who was called in to attend the sick man—were at first seemed to be disconnected at variance. Detective George Mulcahey was detailed to investigate the case and in saw all the persons concerned.

SINKS TO FLOOR.
It appears that about twenty minutes after Hale had visited the establishment for massage treatment, he had been his custom during the last few weeks. Upon his arrival he complained of feeling faint and sat in a chair for a few minutes.

Mrs. Williams was in the adjoining room preparing the bath for her patient, when, hearing a gasping sound from the other apartment, she looked up and saw Hale, who had removed his coat, sinking to the floor.

Rushing in, she found him unconscious and breathing heavily. In alarm, she ran to the door of the Tucher, next door, and summoned the physician to Hale's assistance. But before the man of medicine could render any aid Hale expired.

SLOW IN REPORTING.
Further investigation by Detective Mulcahey showed that Hale had driven up to the establishment in a buggy, which was hitched outside. After he died it was sent back to the stable by Mrs. Williams. As to the delay in notifying the morgue of the death, it was explained that there has been a misunderstanding between Mrs. Williams and Dr. Tucher as to who would send word to the morgue. Little was known of the death until it had been telephoned and notice of the death was then sent.

After the removal of the body to the morgue an autopsy was made, which revealed that death was due to valvular disease of the heart. The dead man's stomach, however, was sent to a chemist to have its contents analyzed. The police authorities are of the opinion that Hale's death was due solely to natural causes. It was stated by Rev. W. A. Brewer of Burlingame, nephew of the deceased, that Hale had been a sufferer from diabetes and heart disease for some time past. There were no circumstances in the case that pointed to the suggestion of crime or a motive therefor.

WOMAN EXCITED.
When examined by Detective Mulcahey, Mrs. Williams was in a state of great excitement, which she claimed was due to the ordeal which she had been through. To account for a pillow which Hale had under his head, she said that the morgue deputies arrived, Mrs. Williams admitted that she had placed it there as a support while she called in the doctor and before Hale died.

The deceased was a man of 40 years of age and had lived in this city many years, where he was widely known. He made his home with his married daughter, Mrs. Vincent G. Magazette, at 1521 Sutter street. His father was the late Judge William Hale of this city, who was at one time a law partner of Frank M. Pixley. Of late years Hale had been suffering from diabetes and heart disease, and his attention to this insurance and probate business.

PROPOSES TO FOUR WOMEN WITHIN ONE WEEK

Alleged San Francisco Merchant Promised to Install Finances in Mansion He Did Not Own.

CINCINNATI, July 27.—Within one week Frank Blesinger, who claims to be a member of the firm of Blesinger & Co. of San Francisco, became engaged to four different women and promised to install them in the miseries of a mansion he did not own.

Blesinger became acquainted with the women when they answered his advertisement for a housekeeper. He lost no time in engaging the services, and showed them in relays the interior of the Seaside mansion on Walnut hill, which he told them he owned. Real estate men here, however, told the key to their mansion when he represented to them he wished to purchase it.

WINS CONFIDENCE.
Blesinger, in order to win the confidence of the women he promised to marry, permitted them to suggest the manner in which they desired the house furnished. In this way he leaped into the good graces of the women and at the psychological moment proposed to them.

He told each of the four that he did not want to install them as housekeeper and then marry them as his employee. They saw the situation in the same light and made arrangements for their trousseaus, for which Blesinger advanced them considerable money.

PROPOSED TO FOUR.
Now Blesinger has disappeared. How many more women he promised to marry no one knows. So far four have complained. Blesinger said he was one of the victims of the San Francisco fire, claiming to have been in Europe on business when the disaster took place. All the members of his family, except a daughter ten years old, perished, he declared. He told his story in such a pathetic manner that he gained the sympathy of his hearers.

Samuel Blesinger of the firm of Blesinger & Co., San Francisco, said last night that he had no relative named Frank and no relative in Cincinnati.

OFFICER ELECTROCUTED WHILE TAKING A BATH

Fries to Arrange Electric Wires; Gets Full Charge.

MANILA, July 27.—Lieutenant Oswalt of the Twenty-ninth Infantry met death here today accidentally by electrocution. The officer was preparing to take a bath and had entered the bath tub when he endeavored to arrange the lighting current to take an electric bath. In some way he came into contact with the wires, receiving the full charge, which proved instantly fatal.

NO WORK FOR LUMBER HANDLERS, SAYS AGENT

To the Editor of THE TRIBUNE: It has been stated that the lumber business has been more than brisk on our water front. This is not true. While our lumber yards are doing a good business, so far as the sales are concerned, there is practically no lumber coming in the yards, being greatly overstocked. There is about one-third of our men (the Lumber Handlers' Union, No. 225, of Oakland) at work. This has been the condition since last winter and spring and up to the present time. It is not right that these assertions should be made, thus encouraging all the idle men to flock to our fair city to add to the great army of unemployed already here. There can be very nearly being a divorce in the family of one of our union men when his wife read in a paper of the abundance of lumber being handled on the water front. She was sure he would come home that evening with a job. But, no, the same old story; so she threatened to serve him with papers if he was lying to her. So he made her put on her hat and cloak and go with him, as he did not wish to lose his job. He was convinced when she saw the empty wharf. She said "Never again; kiss me."

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J. G. O'FARRELL,
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CLAUDIANES' EX-WIFE
BEATEN AND ROBBED
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Mrs. Nelie Claudianes, the divorced wife of John, was the victim of an encounter with a footpad Saturday evening when returning home. She boarded a wrong Sutter street car at 8 o'clock and found herself heading toward the Presidio. Upon leaving the car on a lonely corner a man, whom she describes as tall and wearing a black beard, snatched her handbag, which, she says, contained \$5 and some small change.


With a quick rush Mrs. Claudianes sought to recover her possessions, whereupon the man wheeled sharply and struck her a terrific blow on the jaw, from which she fell unconscious and was picked up by strangers. She says those who assisted her wanted to call up an ambulance, but she persisted in being helped to a car and making her way home alone.

In addition to a badly swollen and black eye, which she found herself bruised by the fall and that she had sprained her left ankle.

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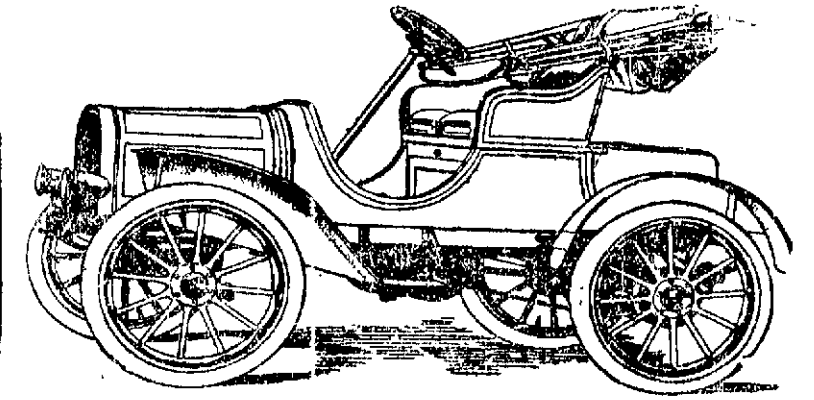
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